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APPLICANT(S): Conte et al.

APPLICATION NO: 10/507,345

EXAMINER: Carlos A. Azpuru

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FOR: A SYSTEM FOR THE CONTROLLED RELEASE OF ACTIVE INGREDIENTS

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO JULY 23, 2007 OFFICE ACTION

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on July 23, 2007. Also submitted are a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time, and the appropriate fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1). With the Extension of Time, this response is timely filed on November 23, 2007. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the following Remarks/Arguments.

Please amend the application as follows:

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